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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated May 18, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims to read as follows:

1. (Amended) A system for controlling the speed of an AC electric motor connected to a cyclical load, the system comprising:

a signal conversion circuit to convert an AC electric signal to a DC electric signal; a signal measurement circuit sampling the DC electrical signal and deriving a DC

electric characteristic signal corresponding to a motor attribute in response thereto;



